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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

BRIAN SORENSEN and

JANICE LEE JONES,

Defendants.

Case No. 2:17-cr-244-APG-NJK

**Order Granting
Stipulation to Extend Deadlines
Regarding Defendants' Motions (First
Request)**

It is hereby stipulated and agreed, by and between Christopher Chiou, Acting United States Attorney, through Jim W. Fang, Assistant United States Attorney, Thomas F. Pitaro, Esq., counsel for defendant Brian Sorensen, and Michael Pariente, Esq., counsel for defendant Janice Lee Jones, that the government's deadline to respond to defendants' Motions to Dismiss, ECF Nos. 139 & 140, currently set for December 20, 2021, be extended until January 5, 2022.

1. Defendants filed their Motions to Dismiss on December 6, 2021, and the government's deadline to respond to the Motions is set for December 20, 2021.

2. Due to the upcoming holidays, government counsel has already made plans to visit family prior to the filings of the Motions. To thoroughly prepare its response, the

1 government reached out to defense counsels to discuss an extension to the government's
2 response deadline, which they graciously consented.

3 3. As such, the government respectfully ask this Court to grant an extension,
4 until January 5, 2022, for the government to respond to defendants' Motions to Dismiss.

5 DATED this 13th day of December, 2021.

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9 **ORDER**

10 Based on the pending Stipulation between the defense and the government, and good
11 cause appearing therefore, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Government's response to
12 defendants' Motions to Dismiss, ECF Nos. 139 & 140, shall be filed and served on or before
13 January 5, 2022.

14 DATED December 15, 2021.

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18 Nancy J. Koppe
19 United States Magistrate Judge
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